

High School Carnegie Unit Program Teachers

DCPS is eager to hire educators who are passionate about student success, who believe in the inherent capacity of all children to excel at the highest levels, who are goal-oriented, and who are undaunted by the challenges associated with serving in an urban school system.

The high school program provides students an opportunity to make progress toward fulfilling their graduation requirements.

The program will be customized to meet the needs of our high school students who are recovering credits to stay on target for graduation, whether they are seniors planning to graduate this year or underclassmen who need to get back on track. The program will operate for students from 8:00 am until 7:00 pm Monday through Friday, beginning on June 28, 2010 and ending on August 6, 2010. Teachers may only work 8 hours or less per day. Students will be permitted to recover a maximum of two (3.0) credits.

Requirements:

To be considered for a position, an applicant must be a Middle or High School Teacher in DCPS or another school district.

- Attend Summer School Professional Development Orientation Session
- Follow Teaching and Learning Framework
- Plan and teach “bell to bell”
- Maintain timely records in DCSTARS (progress report, final marks, daily attendance)
- Avoid any absences
- Communicate with parents when students are failing, absent or doing outstanding
- Integrate technology into curriculum

Additional qualities:

- **Commitment to Equity:** DCPS is looking for educators who are passionate about closing the achievement gap and ensuring that every child, regardless of background or circumstance, receives an excellent education.
- **Focus on Results:** DCPS is looking for educators who are driven by a desire to produce quantifiable student achievement gains.
- **Sense of Possibility:** DCPS is looking for educators who approach their work with optimism and a sense of possibility despite the many challenges they may face.

- **Problem Solving Orientation:** DCPS is looking for educators who are solutions-oriented and who see challenges as opportunities for creative problem solving.

- **Perseverance:** DCPS is looking for educators who are willing to do whatever it takes to ensure that their students are successful.

- **Respect and Humility:** DCPS is looking for educators who are sensitive to diversity in all its forms and who are committed to learning from the school and neighborhood communities in which they work.

New as well as veteran teachers with appropriate certifications are encouraged to apply. DCPS has some of the finest educators in America and we would love to have you join the family!

To Apply:

Interested current DCPS and non-DCPS employees should complete the teacher application form online at <https://octo.quickbase.com/db/be7afzdmq> by April 7, 2010.

For additional information about a summer school position, please visit dcps.dc.gov/DCPS/summerschooljobs.

Qualification for a summer school position will be determined by educational background and demonstrated competence as indicated by performance evaluations. We will be especially enthusiastic to review applications for teachers who have an IMPACT score of 2.5 or higher.

Questions:

If you have any questions, please email SummerSchool.DCPS@dc.gov.